(b) if the answer to sub-division (a) be in the affirmative, how they have been disposed ;

(c) if the answer to (a) is in the negative, why orders are delayed ,

(d) is it a fact that these officers placed before the Diwan Peishkar their desire to represent their grievances to His Highness the Maharaja?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—(a) Yes.

(b) The pay of the Parvathiyams and Menons has been revised as follows:—

1st grade Parvathiyam	Rs. 20	each per mensem.
2nd grde ,,	Rs. 18	,,
1st grade Menon	Rs. 16	,,
2nd grade,,	Rs. 15	,,

(c) This point does not arise in view of the answer to sub-division (b).

(d) Yes.

Permission to take clay from the Pozhil.

162. Mr. K. Ayyappan.— Will the Government be pleased to inform the House:—

(1) whether they have received any petition from the inhabitants of the Pallipuram village praying for permission to take clay from the lagoon (പൊഴിൽ) lying to the west of the village for manuring their cocoanut gardens ;

(2) when the petition was received ;

(3) whether the Government have passed any orders on it ?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—(1) Yes. The names of the petitioners are :—

(1) Mazhuvancheri Parambath Korathu.
(2) Do Philipos Chakko.
(3) Chanasseri Kandan Koran.
(4) Do Raman.
(5) Rama Shenoi

(2) On 6th Vrischigam 1103, 30th Chingam 1104, 3rd Vrischigam 1106 and 10th Vrischigam 1106.

(3) The petitions of Korathu and Chakko were dismissed as it was found that taking of clay from the Pozhil is detrimental to the sandspits bordering the sea.

The petitions received on 3rd Vrischigam 1106 and 10th Vrigchigam 1106 are pending receipt of reports from the Tahsildar to whom they have been forwarded.

Amount of travelling allowance.

163. Mr.C.A.Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state in print the amount of travelling allowance drawn

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